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Docket No. 2862/D01/SYNX/SYNX/BG

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Hon. Assistant Commissioner
for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Re: Inventor(s): Ilya Perlov, Eugene Gantvarg and Victor Belitsky
Title: APPARATUS FOR STORING AND MOVING A CASSETTE
Serial No.: 09/918,198
Filed: July 30, 2001
Examiner: James W. Keenan
Group Art Unit: 3652

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Total Claims		- 20 =		X \$18.00	\$0.00
Independent Claims		- 3 =		X \$84.00	\$0.00
Basic Filing Fee				\$740.00	\$0.00
TOTAL FEES					\$0.00

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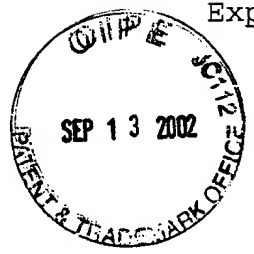
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 13, 2002, it is requested that the subject application be amended as follows.

In the Claims:

Cancel claim 4 without prejudice.

Amend claims 1, 5, 6, 14 and 16-18 to read as

follows:

1. (Amended) An apparatus for storing cassettes, comprising:

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